

## Family Occasion May Be Made Of Sunday Morning Breakfast

IN MANY homes the only approach to leisurely eating and drinking comes on Sunday, when the cares of the week are laid aside and the family in toto assemble about the table with a general feeling of relaxation. Church is considerably later than the breakfast hour, consequently the morning meal may be indulged in with the satisfaction which comes from at least a partial indifference to the flight of time.

The shrewd housemother, therefore, will seize upon this auspicious moment to emphasize the joys of home life. Properly conducted, the Sunday breakfast may readily become a weekly "occasion" in the family annals—something to look forward to, like a trip to the country, or a "session" at the matinee. Sweet Familiarities Of Kinship Are Lost.

However, if the weekly morning rush and bustle is allowed to creep into the Sunday breakfast hour, and if no care is taken to have some difference manifest the opportunity for a pleasant family reunion, with all that it implies of camaraderie and the sweet familiarities of kinship, will be lost, and a telling opportunity of gaining a firmer hold on the growing boys and girls of the circle will be eliminated.

The Sunday breakfast need not be a more extravagant meal than usual, but it may have some little distinctive touch

to bring it out of the ruck of everyday affairs.

Here is a palatable and simple all-day menu for Sunday:

**BREAKFAST.**  
Cottage Cheese.  
Scotch Omelette.  
Orange Marmalade.  
Coffee.  
**LUNCHEON.**  
Oyster Canapés.  
Crabapple Catsup.  
Brown Bread Sandwiches.  
Tea.  
**DINNER.**  
Consomme with Croustons.  
Veal Cutlets.  
Creamed Cauliflower.  
Escalloped Tomatoes.  
Amont Pudding.  
Coffee.

**Fish May Readily Be Prepared At Table.**

If parboiled the night before the fish may readily be prepared at the table in a chafing dish. Into the pan in which butter has been melted, flake a quantity of fish, adding half as much bread crumbs as fish. Whip one or two eggs lightly, adding, if desired, a tablespoonful or two of cream.

Pour over the fish and bread crumbs and stir constantly while the mixture simmers. Add salt and pepper and a teaspoonful of anchovy paste, before lifting and serving on nicely browned squares of toast.

If sufficient fish remains from the Friday evening dinner, the rechauffe offers an excellent method of using this otherwise useless left-over.

For oyster canapés arrange upon squares of toast placed on hot platters nicely fried oysters and garnish with parsley.

For almond pudding compare a stiff blanc mance made with cornstarch and flavored with almond extract. Garnish with jelly and serve with custard sauce or whipped cream.

*Frances Carroll*

## TOO MANY KISSES WORSE THAN NONE

I always thought Hobson had a cinch after Santiago, until I blew into the little town of Hahn-agen, in Roumania. I was a strolling player, who used to wander into the odd corners of the world; "but even I—and my hair is getting a little thin, and I wouldn't take first prize in a beauty contest—got enough kisses in one day to last an average lifetime.

"It seems that Hahn-agen, from time immemorial, has had an annual festival, and on this day the population of about eighty villages come swarming in. Every young woman of the town, married or single, goes out on this day, carrying a vessel of wine and a small garland of flowers. To every visitor they offer a cup of wine and a kiss.

"The point is: One of the great prose writers who works only when the spirit moves him, has a small table at his left hand laden with pretzels, twigs, olives, chipped beef, cigarettes and ale. As he writes he munches and sips. It may be a very little at a time, but he keeps at it all day, and never misses his 7 o'clock dinner roast, vegetables, entrees, revels, etc. Instead of stuffing himself regularly like a sausage skin three times a day, he is always feeding daintily, like a squirrel in a hickory forest.

## The Bedtime Story.

Published for the thoughtful mot hers who wish to read to the little folk while they are being tucked into their beds for the night.

### THE GIRL WHO TROD ON THE LOAF.

#### SYNOPSIS OF STORY PRECEDING.

A mobbish little girl, employed by a rich woman, was given a loaf of bread to take to her parents, when she went home on a visit. She trod on the loaf to keep the mud from her shoes, when she crossed a moor, and she sank out of sight in the mud.

The loaf stuck tight to her feet and she fell to the brew house of the old Moor Woman, whose home was with snakes and toads. Old Bogey and his grandmother were there and they decided to make a statue of Inge.

Inge couldn't stoop to break a bite off the loaf, and hunger tortured her. She heard her mother say "Bride goes before a fall," and she wished she were punished on earth for her whims.

She could hear little girls at birth being told of naughty Inge, and after staying years and years in the mud, she knew when her mother died. An old woman, who as a little girl, had mourned for Inge, died, and she was an angel, wept for Inge, who also cried.

SHE was filled with sorrow about herself, it seemed as though the gate of mercy could never open to her; and while in deep penitence she acknowledged this, a gleam of light shot radiantly down into the depths to her, with a greater force than that of the sunbeam which melts the snow man the boys have built up; and quicker than the snowflake melt, and becomes a drop of water that falls on the warm lips of a child, the stony form of Inge was changed to mist, and a little bird soared with the speed of lightning upward into the world of men. But the bird was timid and shy toward all things around; he was ashamed of himself, ashamed to encounter any living thing and hurriedly sought to conceal himself in a dark hole in an old crumbling wall; there he sat, cowering, trembling through his whole frame, and unable to utter a sound, for he had no voice. Long he sat there before he could rightly see all the beauty around him; for it was beautiful. The air was fresh and mild, the moon cast its mild radiance over the earth; trees and bushes exhaled fragrance, and it was right pleasant where he sat, and his coat of feathers was clean and pure. How all creation seemed to speak of beneficence and love! The bird wanted to sing and sing he did; but he was so shy, he could not; he could not; he would have sung as the cuckoo and the nightingale sang in the spring time. But heaven, that hears the mute song of praise of the worm, could hear the notes of praise which now trembled in the breast of the bird, as David's psalms were heard before they had fashioned themselves into words and song.

For weeks these toneless songs stirred within the bird; at last the holy Christmas time approached. The peasant who

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## GLIMPSE OF SPRING STYLE

### Daily Fashion Talk.

By FRANCES CARROLL.

JUST to give you an idea of what is coming along with the advent of spring I am reproducing for your inspection a picture of one of the most modish new models. The material is French serge of a delicate violet tone. The effective skirt, which is cut in tunic effect, fits in admirably as a two-piece suit with the coat—a cleverly conceived affair on modified Russian lines.

The collar is of embroidered linen—a new touch—and the long, low roll is of black moire. Particular attention is directed to the faddy finish of the sleeve.

### Answers to Queries From Times Readers

#### Souvenir Directories.

Kappa—The souvenir directories are gotten out by private enterprise, and I have been unable to obtain any information on the subject save that no such directory has been published for either the sixtieth or the present Congress.

#### Primrose League.

Inquirer—The Primrose League of England was organized by women, in sympathy with the English Conservative party as a tribute to the memory of Lord Beaconsfield. The purpose at first was merely the decoration of that statesman's tomb with primroses—his favorite flower. The league, however, soon developed into a political organization of great power and the annual decoration of the tomb has long since been a mere incident in the career of the league.

## Tribes in West and Southwest Africa Have Many Peculiar Marriage Customs

THE marriage customs of west and southwest Africa are in many cases peculiar. They differ, of course, in different tribes, but have broad lines in common. A coastal tribe always considers itself superior to an inland tribe, and even its meanest member claims to rank higher than the most powerful man of an up-country tribe. A man may marry any woman he likes of any tribe, it being held that he gives her his own status, whatever that may be, but it is almost unheard-of for a woman to marry "beneath" her. As a result, some of the women of the most superior coast tribes like the Miongoe, look to marriage with white men, and frequently attain to it.

The parents of both sides rule absolutely in the matter of marriage between natives. First, the would-be bridegroom goes empty-handed to obtain the consent of the bride's father. Then he goes again with gifts, and the father calls in other members of the family to view the gifts. On the third visit he carries trade gin, a sufficiently poisonous com-



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## Daily Horoscope

"The stars incline, but do not compel."

Sunday, January 23, 1910.

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NEPTUNE is in conjunction with the moon today. Jupiter is in a favorable aspect.

Trouble from a political scandal is indicated.

Persons connected directly or indirectly with the business of brewing, distilling, bottling, canning, preserving and mixing liquids should find the period auspicious.

There is a favoring sign for women who work for wages.

This day is strong for will-power and individuality and dominant character. The influence is toward generosity and love, but sharply accentuated temperaments may be led to clash.

Harmony is the fortunate sign of the day and all persons should strive for it and avoid unpleasant or irritating subjects.

The influence will probably make most natures more receptive than usual to the principles of peace, goodness, justice, and sympathy. They will benefit who open their souls and minds unreservedly to the spirit of the time and let material and worldly things sink in the background.

The signs are good for visiting old friends, making peace with antagonists, striving for new and higher purposes, reading and religion.

Courts and weddings are under good aspects.

An element of permanence in the day denotes that the time should be beneficial for making good resolutions and casting off bad habits.

The cusp of Capricorn-Aquarius still rules birthdays, and persons whose birthday is today will benefit by keeping in mind during the twelvemonth that their best work and happiness lies in cheerful, warm-hearted, earnest attitudes toward life.

The aspect over children born today indicates that they will benefit from training that will give them some high and ideal ambition, as otherwise they may become necessary.

### Poultry and Eggs Lower, Other Produce Steady

The most satisfactory Saturday market from the consumers' standpoint that has prevailed in some time, is the way today's trading is characterized. Poultry and eggs are a trifle lower than at the beginning of the week, and the market on vegetables and fruits has maintained an even tone since last Monday.

The expected drop in the price of eggs of 4 or 5 cents a dozen failed to materialize, due entirely to the fact that the market in New York held up. A decline in the price of eggs would have reflected here. The quotation fell off a cent a dozen yesterday, but remained at that price today, with no tendency to go lower.

Large shipments of Brussels sprouts have come in to Washington during the last few days, and in consequence of the oversupply, commission men have dropped the quotation on this variety of green goods to 10 to 12 cents a quart, depending on the quality.

## Winners of This Week's Puzzle Picked and Await Notification

WELL, the names of the prize winners are neatly tucked away and nothing of interest remains of this week's contest but the announcement of the names of the lucky three.

You'd be surprised, I am sure, to take a peep over the lists and see how varied they are.

Ever so many different books were suggested and one of my correspondents declared she could get half a dozen at least from No. 14, whereupon she proceeded "to demonstrate," and I'll give you my word I had partly to agree with her.

I never did hear of so many things "found aboard ship," as she had ready

to discuss with me. Then right on the heels of this information came this note:

"Your contest this week was particularly delightful for the simple reason that the answers seemed to suit so well after our got them. I know that I am late, but I have spent the best part of the week looking for an answer to No. 8. But I am hoping to be a prize winner, not only for the honor, but as the user of slang expressions would say 'I need the money.'"

It is sure enough a case of many men and many minds, is it not?

FRANCES CARROLL.

### Tastes of Queens Shown In Selection of Clothes

Queen Amelia of Portugal is one of the best dressed Queens in Europe, her taste being beyond reproach.

Queen Helena of Italy, on the contrary, is somewhat apt to neglect good taste for extreme styles, although it must be confessed that she looks best in the smartest of costumes. Her majesty does not confine herself to one dressmaker, but will visit half a dozen shops until she decides on what she wants. What is more, she does not simply have in paying exorbitant prices simply because she is a queen, and dressmakers and modistes say in a whisper that she knows how to drive a bargain.

The Queen of Holland, too, likes gay clothes, and is exceedingly fond of French styles. She will pay a good price for anything she fancies, and experience has taught the French dressmakers to show her only green, blue, and white and to turn on all the electric switches to show how the colors look by artificial light.

## Parents of Queen Victoria Were Poor; Had Trouble Raising Traveling Funds

IT WAS in April, 1813, that the Duke and Duchess of Kent, parents of the late Queen Victoria, arrived in hot haste from the Continent in expectation of an immensely important event, namely, the birth of an eventual heir to the Crown, the infant first seeing the light of day in the ancient palace of her ancestors on May 24 of the same year.

"Hot haste" was the watchword of the royal travelers on their memorable journey to Kensington Palace on this occasion, for, as regards a possible successor to the old King (George III), things were not going well then in the line of Hanoverian succession; and the expectant royal parents deemed it absolutely essential that their offspring, whether son or daughter, should first see the light in England.

It sounds extraordinary in these days of peace and plenty, to say nothing of the firm bonds of family affection which bind the present English royal family

together, that the parents of the child who was to reign for more than sixty years over England should be so short of the wherewithal that they had the greatest difficulty in collecting sufficient funds to enable them to travel with comfort from their distant home in Thuringia; and they had to make their long and dreary way across the Continent in an exceedingly shaky old "Berline," as traveling carriages were then designated.

Another fact, unknown to many of the late Queen's loyal subjects, is how narrowly she missed receiving what was to turn out the appropriate name of Victoria.

An incident much discussed at the time of Victoria's christening was the boorish conduct of the infant's uncle, the prince regent, who was much annoyed at the objection shown by his younger brother, Edward, duke of Kent, and his duchess to the name of Georgiana, originally selected by the regent in his own honor, he himself strongly objecting to the alternative name, Victoria.



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